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On account of the increase cost of all material and labor we are compelled to insist on subscriptions to the Record being paid up. All daily papers and many weeklies are raising the price. Not wishing to do this we must clean-up our list. We have many who owe one and more years, whom we have sent statements who pay no attention and these we ask to call and settle by June 1st.

We have discontinued some and placed in a collector's hands, this we dislike to do, but repeated statements totally ignored compels us to take some other method

TREE TRIMMING

(Continued from page one.) droop. This general rule, of course should not be applied to trees that are used to acreen out unsightly ob- hardt's time. jects or those maintained as specimen trees in lawns.

"It is quite essential in these days of numerous feauls to impaire very carefully regarding the qualifications struct their classes in the fundamentals of such work. A keen observer

trees are still young and thrifty. The fraveler to see it first step in the improvement should ment of Wright park and the city so often present to my memory tract bordering on Superior street and But this is only an introduction to the river will not only afford the marvels behind. The gorge opens recreation grounds for Alma's citi- out into a narrow valley some three zens but will be attractive features to miles in circumference, everywhere

give detailed popular discussion of all cut temples, tombs and dwelling the phases of caring for trees and places. In one place are the remains parks. Public control of street trees of an open air theater. Some of the cannot be too strongly urged. Such a structures cut in the face of the rock step would necessitate passing an are several stories in height, while ordinance putting all trees between the sidewalks and crub line under pub- wondering admiration of the beholder. cess and others are rapidly following. they make upon them. The cities of Detroit, Lansing and lic control of street trees."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

William L. Ries, 22, Emerson twp. Marian E. Hastings, 19, St. Louis. Henry Koeler, 34, Alma. Mary Robinson, 30, St. Louis. Oscar Robbe, 35, Ashley. Zulma Jrymonprez, 30, Cheboygan, Albert Dumas, 21, Alma. Elsie Linder, 20, St. Louis.

Lena J. Jessup, 22, Alma. Bernie Little, 20, St. Louis, Phoebe Fishburn, 21 St. Louis. Emil Miller, 32, Bannister. Madeline Lyeke, 18, Bannister.

SOME SPEED

Monday afternoon a farmer residing near Ithaca accidentally broke say at the time of the dejuge Noah one of the stations of the Gratiot took their family title deeds into the County Gas Company along the high- ark. At their chateau may be seen a way near that city and caused the picture of that event, wherein one of concern to lose several thousand feet the drowning metrwaves a scroll above of gas. The Alma office was notified of his head on which is inscribed, "Save the damage. It took Manager Leitch the title deeds of the house of Croy." and his little "Henry Ford" just eight minutes to make the scene of the disaster, about one-half mile this side of

RUN OVER BY AUTO

Norton Borton the six year old son of William Borton, proprietor of the Alma garage narrowly escaped injuries Monday morning. The lad attempted to cross the street in front of a swiftly moving car, when directly in front of its path the boy was knocked to the ground and the machine passed over his body, but luckly he lay between tracks and escaped with several light bruises.

A. E. KIMBALL COMING

Lieut. Col. A. E. Kimball accompanied by James Comlin of Detroit will be at the Salvation Army Hall Saturday June 10th at 7:45 p. m. Do not miss seeing and hearing them as both men are very talented.

The Alma Record. A CITY OF MYSTERY

Ancient Petra, In Arabia, Now In Ruins and Deserted.

LIVED IN EARLY BIBLE TIMES. • to kill and cremate it at once.

Then It Was Famous and Wealthy and a Place Where History Was Made-Its Curious Temples. Tombs and Dwellings Carved Out of Solid

The strangest city in the world is Petra, cut out of solid rock in a lonesome mountain valley in the Arabian desert. Once a rich city, it is now an abandoned ruin. It is so old that its origin is lost to history, but it was | . well known in early Bible times when | + + the Edomites inhabited it, and about a century after the beginning of the Christian era it was conquered by the Romans. But a few centuries later it was abandoned by civilization, and for MANIENANIENANIENANIENANIENANIENANIENA 1.500 years it lay forgotten by the discovered it in 1812.

known to have visited it since Burck-

No remancer ever conceived such a he was to make fun of the brower, in tains, rocky, wild and trackless. Beert. A savage gien deepens into a long, narrow gorge with perpendicular walls of those who apply to do may kind of one or two hundred feet in height. Foltree work. It is not absolutely es- lowing this ravine for two miles, the sential that they come from institu- adventurous traveler suddenly finds tions of collegiate grade although the binaself at a kind of gateway in the various departments of forestry, her. rocks, like the entrance to a Roman amplitheater.

Here he is confronted by a temple ut mathe rock, with the most exquisite Corinithian columns, and, entering the and student, even though he may have doorway, he finds bluesif in the heart been deprived of a great deal of school of the hill, surrounded by subterranean training, may equip himself to prop- ar blie ture of the most elaborate erly care for trees. It is, in general, beauty of form and workmanship. This well to beware of those who claim to is the so called thusneh, or treasury revive trees by injecting into the upperced to have been built by the Ro trunks any kind of chemical substance. Petra in the year 131 A. D. Although "The city of Alma has in Wright called a treasury, it was a temple depark an area already beautiful but voted to Isis vNo description of this which has also wonderful possibilities strange building has ever excelled that for future development because the given by Stephens, the first American

"The whole temple, its columns, or be the removal of some of the weaker naments, porticoes and porches are cut out from and form a part of the sail? and less desirable species of trees, rock, and this rock, at the foot of Good sod is desirable but can not be which the temple stands like a mere obtained unless some sunlight is al- print, towers several hundred feet lowed to hit the soil. There are many above, its face cut smooth to the very minor details to be worked out in summit and the top remaining wild developing park areas which can best and misshapen, as nature made it. Neibe accomplished by employing a train- ther the Collseum at Rome, grand and ed landscapist for a few days during the summer month. Fresh days during the summer month. the summer months. Further develop- nor the mighty temples of the Nile are

sunk deep beneath the inclosing moun-It is not possible in brief space to tilled with the remains of other rock their architectural details excite the

lic control and the appointment of a eyes of the surprised visitor by their new, or designation of a present city situation and by the air of total abanofficial to have the care of trees as his donment which surrounds them. They separate branch of the city's public are at various heights above the floor work. Many Michigan cities have un. or the valley, and the uplifting of the dertaken this with pronounced suc- eyes turned to study them adds to the impression of lonely majesty which

It is rare to meet any human being And Rapids are foremost and close in the place. Sometimes a few Arabs crutiny of their methods must be are seen, but at night the voices of convincing of the advantages of pub- | woives, hyenas, owis and Jackals may be heard, and occasionally one of these unimals may be surprised lurking in the dark interior of an open tomb. Large venomous serpents are also sometimes met with.

It is not surprising that some visitors have applied to Petra, which has been supposed to be the Selab of the Rible. the curses attered by the Hebrew prophets against the land of Idomes. such as these: "And thorns shall come up in her painces, nerties and rambles in the fortresses thereof, and it shall be a habitation for dragons and a court Samuel G. Wheeler, 28 LaFayette for owls," or, "Oh, thou that dwellest in the clefts of the rocks, that holdest the height of the hill, though thou shouldst make the nest as high as the eagles I will bring thee down from thence, saith the Lord."-Garrett P. Serviss in New York Journal

The House of Cray.

In France the noble family of Croy boasts of descent in direct line from Adam's third son, Seth. They

No Highbrow. Bacon-The giraffe is said to be the only animal in nature that is entirely dumb, not being able to express itself by any sound whatever. Egbert-It's just as well, for if it could speak it would talk over everybody's head -Yonkers Statesman.

Thou wilt give thyself relief if thou doest every act of this life as if it were the last.-Mark Antony.

A Satisfactory Test.

"So you want to marry my daughter eh?" said the old man. "Do you think you have the patience and forbearance to make her a kind and indulgent hus

"Surest thing you know," replied the applicant for the son-in-law job. "I can button a collar on a shirt that is half a size larger without getting angry, physician. "Yon're as sound as a nut."

"Say no more," interrupted the old man. "She is yours. Take her, my son, and my blessing goes with her."—St

man's Home Companion. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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HE THRUST GRIEF ASIDE.

Because He Was a Journalist, With a Duty to Perform. Apropos of Journalistic englassiasm,

world until the traveler Burckhardt re. Mr. Arnold Esnnett furnishes a humorous Illustration. He was twenty and So innecessible is its situation, at a reporter for a small paper. An elethough it once lay on a trade route, then had taken place in which his pathat not more than fifty travelers are per's candidate had been defeated and given him instructions that if they is place. All around are barren mound in any case to deliver his copy by II o'clock next morning. Mr. Bennett

"I attended the declaration of the oil, and as the clated brewer made his peech of ceremony in front of the own ball I observed that his lat was stave in and askew. I fastened on that detail and went to bed in meditation upon the facetious notes which I was o write early on the morrow. In the aiddle of the night I was wakened up. ly venerable grandfather, who fived t the other end of the town, had been then ill and was dying. As his eldest andson, my presence at the final ceny was indispensable. I went and alked in low tones with my elders. "Nothing domestic could be permitted to interfere with my duty as a journal-

"I must write those facetious com ments while my grandfather is dying! This thought filled my brain. It seem ed to me to be fine, splendid. I was intensely proud of being laid under a ompuision so startlingly dramatic. Could I manufacture jokes while my grandfather expired? Certainly. 1 was a journalist. And never since have I been so ardently a journalist as I was that night and morning. With a

notes at dawn. They delicately excoriated the brewer. "The curious thing is that my grandfather survived not only that, but sev-

sense of the theatrical, I, wrote my

eral other fatal attacks." WHAT IS STYLE?

It is Difficult to Define Because It is So Intangible.

What makes a woman stylish? Applied to dress, style is a curiously elusive quality, either to define or to ac-

"A stylish garment!" we say of one made in the fashion of the day. But when we ask. "What is the style of the garment?" we are inquiring for a description that may be of this year's style, or last year's, or of the last century's. A dress may be "in style" so far as its material, cut and trimming go and yet not look stylish when worn, either because it is worn by the wrong person or in the wrong way.

"A stylish woman," we say of one dressed a la mode, and yet in the next breath we describe another woman as good style," although she is not wearing the latest fabries or newest cut and often is not herself beautiful.

Style is not a simple quality, but a compound one. "We say style," says an old writer, "of everything in which form or matter is conceived to be, in however slight degree, expressive of taste and sentiment." And it is taste and sentiment more than a specific mode that go to the making of style in dress-that intangible something so hard to define, so seldom acquired and so much desired because it is so widely

The French word chic expresses, as Americans and English use it today, a good deal of what we have in mind when we say "stylish." It implies a certain knack in the selection and manner of wearing clothes. The meaning in French includes the idea of sub tlety and finesse, and it is these qualities more than the ejatant (striking) effect that are suggested by the best dressed women, so often lacking to those of expensively dressed Ameri cans,-Good Health.

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"I used to suffer from backache and of them actually diseased, others sim- bringing about the first relief from headaches and nervousness so badly ply "ailing," "not feeling well," "run stomach trouble. that it almost set me wild. I had down." And very often to be not bardly any desire for food and just feeling well, ailing, run down, is the Mr. Carlton, "from pains in my stomhad to force myself to go to the table. beginning of being diseased; because ach and bowels and from nervousness. I lost so much strength that I could weakness brings illness. The weak My trouble was of such long standing hardly walk. My nerves were simply cannot successfully resist the attacks that it had become chronic. I could

than I had been before I went to bed. used to being sick. They get so they for me to sleep nights. I was run "Since using Tanlac I have entirely believe that it is natural to suffer from down and weakened. I had no aprecovered my health," said Mrs. indigestion, dyspepsia, beiching and Rhyne, "and that is why I am so anx- bloating from gas, sourness and sore- times. ious to recommed it to others. I ness of the stomach, constipation, bil- "As I said, I read this testimonial now feel like a new woman. My ap- liousness, inactive liver, dizziness, kid- given by my friend and I knew that get enough to eat. No matter what back, palpitation of the heart, head- when I took Tanlac I was pretty sure I eat I do not have the slightest trou- aches, "ringing in the ears," weak- it would help me if anything would. ble with my digestion. My nerves ness, nervousness, loss of appetite, There is not much more to tell except have steadied down and I sleep like a sleeplessness, falling off in weight, that from the very start I improved top every night. I feel better, look foul breath, coated tongue and ir- under the Tanlac treatment and today better, and am better since using the ritability. But it isn't natural and feel fine all the time. I am glad to great medicine. I take pleasure in Tanlac, the new medicine, is proving recommend Tanlac to anyone sufferthat health is within the reach of all. ing from stomach and bowel troubles."

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